DISTRICT REPORT.

8. Markets how supplied.

9. Progress of agricultural operations, state of standing crops, prospects and probable outturn of harvests, serious damage done to crops by insects or other natural calamities.

10. The prospects of season, tracts in which the rainfall has been insufficient, area affected by scarcity, number of people under relief, and state of food stocks.

11. Remarks as to the condition of agricultural stock, failure of pasturage or fodder, etc.

BANGALORE CITY AND TALUKS.

8. Markets are fairly well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—The lands are being prepared for sowing in almost all the taluks.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks, Paddy, in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur and Nelamangala Taluks, Natragi in parts of Hoskote and Devanhalli Taluks and Mulberry in parts of Channapatna, Hoskote, Kankanhalli and Closepet (Sub-Taluk) Taluks are reported to be in good condition.

Seeds sown.—Til is being sown in parts of Hoskote, Dodballapur, Channapatna, Kankanhalli and Anekal Taluks.

Crops harvested.—Sugar-cane in parts of Nelamangala Taluk.

10. *The prospects of the season* are reported to be good. Cooly classes find sufficient labour.

11. But for foot and mouth disease and Chapperoga in parts of Kankanhalli Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

KOLAR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Seeds sown.*—Nil.

Crops harvested and their outturn.—Nil.

Standing crops.—The standing crops such as Vaishakhi paddy, sugar-cane and jola are reported to be in good condition.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair. The recent rains have improved the situation. The raiyats are ploughing their fields.

Prices of food grains.—Stationary.

Labour.—Sufficient for the cooly classes for the present.

11. *Cattle.*—Healthy.

Pasture, fodder and drinking water are available.

TUMKUR.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Crops sown.*—Paddy in parts of Tumkur and Kunigal Taluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Til and groundnut in parts of Tumkur and Gubbi Taluks and til in parts of Turuvekere Sub-Taluk. Ragi in parts of Sira Taluk, jola in parts of Gubbi Taluk and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Paddy in parts of Tumkur, Maddagiri, Sira and Pavagada Taluks and Koratagere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas. Sugar-cane in parts of Tumkur and Kunigl aTaluks and Turuvekere Sub-Taluk yield 8 annas. Cotton in parts of Sira Taluk; yield 8 annas.

Standing crops.—Paddy, sugar-cane, cotton, jola and ragi are reported to be in fair condition in all parts of the district.

10. *Prospects of the season.*—Fair.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy in all parts of the district.

Water and fodder are reported to be available in all parts of the district, except in parts of Pavagada Taluk, where water difficulty is reported to be continuing.

MYSORE.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Nil.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane, cotton, mulberry, jola, castor, togari, groundnut, til, black and green gram, ragi, paddy and avare are reported to be in good condition.

Crops sown.—Jola in parts of Mysore, Gundlupet, Malvalli and Krishnarajpet Taluks; til in parts of Mysore, Malvalli and Krishnarajpet Taluks; groundnut in parts of Chamrajnagar and Serinagapatam Taluks. Sugar-cane in parts of Seringapatam Taluk; black and green gram in parts of Seringapatam Taluk; adagani in parts of Seringapatam, Gundlupet and Krishnarajpete, Taluk, togari in parts of Gundlupet, Malvalli and Krishnarajpete Taluks; ragi in parts of Hunsur and Krishnarajpete Taluks castor and avare in parts of Gundlupet Taluk.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are good.

11. Water and fodder are available, cattle are reported to be healthy.

HASSAN.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Ploughing operations* are going on in parts of the Manjarabad, Channarayapatna and Arsikere Taluks; paddy and ragi in Hassan and Arkalgud Taluk; togari in the Hassan Taluk; cholam, til, thadagani, castor and togari in the Channarayapatna Taluk; til, gidda ragi, cholam, and cotton in the Arsikere Taluk; til, cholam, green gram, sanabu and dry paddy (ಅವರೆ) in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk, and paddy in the Alur Sub-Taluk are being sown.

Standing crops.—Sugar-cane and car paddy in the taluks of Hassan and Channarayapatna and sugar-cane in the Hole-Narsipur Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. Prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Except for rinderpest in parts of Ramanathpur, Magge and Mallipatna hoblis, Arkalgud Taluk, cattle are reported to be healthy.

Water and fodder are available.

SHIMOGA.

8. Markets are well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Ploughing is going on in all parts of the district.

Seeds sown.—Paddy is being sown in parts of Shikarpur, Sorab, Sagar and Tirthahalli and in the Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

State of standing crops.—Sugar-cane in all the taluks and in the Sub-Taluk of Kumsi and Vaishaki paddy in parts of Sagar Taluk are reported to be in good condition.

Crops harvested.—Nil.

10. The prospects of the season are reported to be good.

11. Cattle are reported to be healthy. Fodder and water are reported to be available in all the taluks.

Rinderpest is reported to be prevailing in the villages of Kommanahal, Holalur, Kurubaravitalapur, Gopala, Bilki Dhombarabhyranahalli, Kadekallu, Gajanur, Doddagoppenahalli and Santhekadur of Shimoga Taluk, in parts of Kasaba Ubrani and Basavapatna hoblis of Channagiri Taluk, Govinakovi, Taraganahalli, Hosahalli, Lingapura of Honnali Taluk in parts of Kasaba, Udagani and in Talagunda hoblis of Shikarpur Taluk, in Sagar Town, in Bilave, Sarala, Nekragodu and in Mandagadde of Tirthahalli Taluk in Seragere, Vittlugondnakoppa, Veerakoppa of Kumsi Sub-Taluk.

KADUR.

8. Well supplied.

9. *Agricultural operation.*—Lands are being ploughed in Tarikere and Narasimharajapura Sub-Taluk.

Crops sown—Chikmagalur—Paddy, ragi, til and garlic. Kadur—Jola, til, green gram black gram. Mudgere—Paddy. Narasimharajapura—Paddy.

Standing crops.—Chikmagalur—Sugar-cane. Kadur—Sugar-cane. Tarikere—Sugar-cane. Mudgere—Kode paddy. Narasimharajapura—Sugar-cane.

Crops harvested.—Kadur—Sugar-cane. Tarikere—Sugar-cane.

10. Prospects of the season good. Food grains are available, but their prices continue to be high.

11. Cattle are generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in Narasimharajapura Town. It is reported that Doddaroga is subsiding in the villages of Doranalu of the Tarikere Taluk.

Water and fodder are available.

CHITALDRUG.

8. Markets adequately supplied.

9. *Agricultural operations.*—Lands are being ploughed and made ready for sowing purposes.

Standing crops are paddy, cotton, sugar-cane and kadle. They are reported to be in a fair condition.

Seeds sown.—Chitaldrug Taluk—Mungar jola and til. Challakere Taluk—Mungar jola, til, castor, gidda ragi and togari. Hiriyur Taluk—Jola, til, togari and cotton. Holalkere Taluk—Jola, til and groundnut. Davangere Taluk—Groundnut. Hosdruga Taluk—Jola and til.

10. Prospects of the season are fair. Prices of food stuffs continue to be stationary. Labour is generally available.

Crops harvested.—Challakere Taluk—Paddy 8 annas; Hiriyur Taluk—Paddy 6 to 8 annas; Holalkere Taluk—Paddy 8 annas.

11. Cattle are reported to be generally healthy, except for Doddaroga in parts of Holalkere, Davangere and Harihar Sub-Taluk. It is reported that the Veterinary Inspector is taking needful action.

Water and fodder are generally available.

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